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We are now showing our complete line of Christmas Goods, which embrace gifts which will be appreciated. Books, Cards, Calendars, Fancy Box Paper, Bibles, Prayer Books, Hymnals, Waterman "Ideal" Fountain Pens, together with a great many other things too numerous to mention. Come early and avoid the Xmas rush.

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AUCTION SALE OF A HOUSE AND LOT ON HENRY STREET.

Pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust bearing date of February 18, 1880, and duly recorded among the land records of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, in deed book No. 29, page 245, given by William Coleman and wife to Thomas Moss, John T. Wilkins and R. C. Acton, the then trustees of the Mercantile-Railway Building & Loan Association of Alexandria, Virginia, to secure the payment of two hundred dollars as there set forth, more than six months default having been made in the payment of the sum secured thereby, at the request of the said Mercantile-Railway Building & Loan Association and by the order of the board of directors of the said association, the undersigned, present trustees of said association, will offer for sale at public auction at the Royal street entrance to the Market Building in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1910, at 12 o'clock noon, all that lot of ground, with the improvements thereon, on the west side of Henry street, in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, at a point 70 feet north on Henry street 25 feet; thence west and parallel to Wythe street 81 feet 8 inches to a 10 foot alley; thence south and binding on said alley 35 feet; thence east in a straight line 81 feet 5 inches to the point of beginning, with the right of way over said alley in common with others entitled thereto.

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Is quickly absorbed. Gives relief at once. It cleanses, soothes, heals and protects the diseased membrane resulting from Catarrh and drives away a Cold in the Head quickly. Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell. Full size 50 cts. at Druggists or by mail. Liquid Cream Balm for use in atomizers 75 cts. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York.

When you feel discouraged, nervous, tired, worried or despondent it is a sure sign you need MOTT'S NERVE PILLS. They renew the normal vigor and mental health of the body and mind. Price \$1.00 by druggists. Williams-Mfg. Co., Props., Cleveland, O. For sale, wholesale and retail, by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons.

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MALAGA GRAPES, FLORIDA ORANGES, Holbein's Fruit Cakes, 15c lb. Pound Cake, 15c lb.

Leave Your Orders Now

Candies of all varieties. Chocolate Drops, 12c lb. Globe Mixture, 12c lb. Victory Mixture, 11c lb. Golden Tray Mixture, 10c lb. Best Broken Mixture 3 lbs for \$2.50

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You will find the energy of youth and the experience of age. There is nothing too large for us, nothing too small for us, nothing too plain and nothing too complicated for us. We can do a class of work that will suit the economical and we can also do work to suit the most fastidious.

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Messrs. L. Shuman & Son, Alexandria, Virginia.

Gentlemen:—Another twelve months has nearly rolled around, bringing the Yuletide season in its wake, and the nearly two score of our Chicago friends take pleasure in wishing you many happy returns of the season and in connection therewith enclose you draft covering 150 lbs. of our delicious and delectable compound of fruit cake, a genuine ambrosial flavor, adds a finishing touch to a harmonious whole and without which our Christmas dinner would seem sadly incomplete.

With kindest regards we all join in wishing you and yours a very happy and prosperous New Year.

Sincerely yours,
C. W. CHANDLER.

Christmas Cakes

Leave your orders for those delicious cakes as shown in our west window. Fruits and nuts received direct from the steamer.

Our candies are shipped direct from the factory, insuring their freshness.

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A place of Out Glass is always pretty. A place of Out Glass is always pretty. A place of Out Glass is always pretty.

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THE COLD WAVE.

With the record of one death and several cases of ill effects from exposure, New York experienced its share of the suffering and inconvenience caused by the sweep of the sudden cold wave from the northwest, which yesterday held the entire northeastern section of the country in its grip. Nine degrees above zero officially, registered in the early morning hours, was the minimum temperature in that city, but up the state, where effects of the cold snap were more severely felt, the mercury went as low as 8 degrees below, which was the record at Canton, N. Y. This was a drop of 26 degrees from the same hour Thursday. In Albany there was an even greater drop of 34 degrees to a minimum of zero at 8 o'clock yesterday morning. The mercury took a fall of from 20 to 32 degrees in New England, the prevailing temperature in Massachusetts and neighboring states to southern New England yesterday morning running from zero to ten above.

The cold wave also covers the entire lake region, the Ohio valley, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland and northern Virginia. Its effects were not felt far south of Washington. Over the whole territory affected high northwest winds prevailed the maximum in New York being 61 miles recorded early Thursday night. Light to moderate snow fell in the lower lake region. One unidentified man was found frozen to death in a hallway in the lower part of New York yesterday morning and another man was taken to a hospital in a serious condition from the effects of exposure.

The dawn of the coldest day of the season yesterday disclosed two schooner flying distress signals near Chatham, Mass. One of the vessels was a two-masted schooner anchored off Old Harbor and the other, a three-masted schooner anchored near Stone Horse shoal, off Monomoy point. Snow fell throughout Thursday night and yesterday the air was filled with mist and snow making it impossible for shore observers to determine the identity of either craft.

The Ohio river is practically closed to navigation from Gallipolis, O. to Pittsburgh, Pa., because of ice. Ice gorges have formed at a number of places and shipping is in danger. The towboat Crescent, of Pittsburgh, with a tow of barges, was crowded on the rocks when a gorge formed at Letart Falls, 36 miles above at Gallipolis. In some places the gorges are from 6 to 10 feet high and reach to the bottom of the river. Great damage to river craft is feared should the weather turn warm and the gorges move out suddenly.

The peculiar properties of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy have been thoroughly tested during epidemics of influenza, and when it was taken in time we have not heard of a single case of pneumonia. Sold by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

THE JAPANESE BUDGET.

The budget for 1911-12 as finally completed was announced at Tokyo yesterday as follows:

Receipts ordinary, 492,198,000 yen; extraordinary 48,796,974; expenditures ordinary, 467,113,274; extraordinary, 133,821,690. A yen is equivalent to about fifty cents in American money.

Marquis Katsura, premier and minister of finance, takes a hopeful view of the financial situation.

During the year past the government has had a particularly heavy burden to carry. The navy has called for an increased expenditure in order to avoid the criticism of neglect in the face of the advances made by other powers.

The annexation of Korea and disastrous floods had added materially to the extraordinary expenses. In the next six years \$2,000,000 yen will be spent in supplementing and improving the navy. Fifteen millions is appropriated for the next fiscal year.

The minister says that the "conspicuous innovations" adopted by other powers in the types of their warships has made it necessary for Japan to somewhat increase its naval expenditure, not because of any danger arising from differences with other countries but because the navy of Japan, while not endeavoring to compete with or surpass those of other nations, must be kept up to a modern standard.

Next year's estimate for railways is nearly 52,000,000 yen.

PROBITS OF A PASSION PLAY.

The gross receipts of this year's Passion Play at Oberammergau are officially reported as \$476,150. After defraying the costs of the production and other incidental expenses \$324,100 remain to be distributed and \$191,500 to be divided among 860 performers.

The managers of the play, musical directors, chief cashier and portrayers of Christ, Pilate, Caiaphas, Herod and speaker of the prelude will receive

GOLDSBORO

HEARD FROM

A Lady Who Lives in Goldsboro Joins in the Chorus of Praise for Cardui, The Woman's Tonic.

Goldsboro, N. C.—"A physician treated me for many distressing symptoms," writes Mrs. Etta A. Smith, "but gave me no relief."

"I suffered with neuralgia around the heart and was troubled at times with my head. I had pain in my left side, bowels, left thigh, shoulders and arms."

"After taking Cardui, I am now well and can recommend it to other suffering women."

Just such doubtful symptoms, as those from which Mrs. Smith suffered, are the ones for which it will pay you to take Cardui, the woman's tonic.

It is at such times, when there is nothing to show, for certain, the real cause of the trouble, that you need a tonic, to give the body strength to throw off the illness that evidently threatens.

Take Cardui, when you are ill, with the elements of your sex. Take Cardui as a tonic, to prevent illness, when you feel it coming.

Your druggist keeps it.

N. B.—Write Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 4-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper on request.

\$625 each for six months' services, the other salaries to be in proportion to the importance of the respective roles.

The men and women who played members of the crowds in the streets of Jerusalem will receive \$30 each, and school children \$7.50 each; \$2,025 will be given to the poor, and the balance of \$108,750 will remain in the village treasury for communal purposes.

When a cold becomes settled in the system, it will take several days' treatment to cure it, and the best remedy to use is Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It will cure quicker than any other, and also leaves the system in a natural and healthy condition. Sold by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

STORMS IN ENGLAND.

After a fortnight of wet and stormy weather throughout the United Kingdom, one of the fiercest westerly gales ever recorded swept England yesterday. Enormous damage has been done on the western and southern English coasts. Sea walls have been demolished in many places. Several stores and houses at Ilfracombe have been smashed by the sea, and their contents washed out.

Numerous wrecks have been reported and a score of lives have been lost. The cross-channel steamers were unable to leave their ports last night.

Disastrous floods have occurred in many places, where miles of country is submerged, and the crops ruined. The temperature is abnormally high.

Where to find the **GOODYEAR GOLD SEAL** pure gum boots and shoes. Our store, J. A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

If you are suffering from biliousness, constipation, indigestion, chronic headache, invest one cent in a postal card, send to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, with your name and address plainly on the back, and they will forward you a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Sold by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

WILLIAMS' KIDNEY PILLS.

Overworked your nervous system and caused trouble with your kidneys and bladder? Have you pains in loins, side, back and bladder? Have you a flabby appearance of the face and under the eyes? A frequent desire to pass urine? If so, Williams' Kidney Pills will cure you—Druggists, price 50c. Williams-Mfg. Co., Props., Cleveland, O. For sale, wholesale and retail, by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons.

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Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup is the prescription of one of the best female physicians and nurses in the United States, and has been used for fifty years with never-failing success by millions of mothers for their children. It relieves the child from pain, cures diarrhoea, griping in the bowels, and wind colic. By giving health to the child it rests the mother. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

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Makes an Acceptable Xmas Gift.

Ladies' Writing Desks, oak and mahogany, \$6.50.

Music Cabinets, \$8.50.

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Oak and Mahogany Rockers from \$1.75 to \$25.00.

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of Alexandria, Virginia

SEPTEMBER 1, 1910.

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RESOURCES

Loans and Investments, \$915,125.73

U. S. Bonds, 125,000.00

Banking House, 73,291.61

Due from Banks and Reserve Agents, 158,120.22

Cash, 52,642.05

5 Per Cent Fund, 5,000.00

\$1,329,179.61

LIABILITIES

Capital, \$100,000.00

Surplus and Profits, 187,741.21

Circulation, 100,000.00

Deposits, 941,232.34

Other Liabilities, 102.81

\$1,329,179.61

This bank with its ample capital and surplus, its adequate equipment and facilities, solicits the accounts of manufacturers, wholesalers, retailers and individuals on the best terms consistent with sound banking.

No account too large to be handled satisfactorily; none too small to be appreciated.

A FEW HINTS ABOUT WHAT TO GIVE FOR XMAS.

As jewelry is useful as well as ornamental, we have largely increased our stock to assist the Xmas giver and offer the following suggestions:

FOR LADIES

Watches, \$5.00 to \$50.00

Gold Filled Guard Chains, 2.50 to 4.00

Solid Gold Guard Chains, 5.50 to 25.00

Solid Gold Neck Chains, 1.50 to 12.00

Gold Filled Locketts, 1.50 to 6.00

Solid Gold Locketts, 2.50 to 30.00

Under the eyes, 1.50 to 6.00

Bracelets for adults, 2.50 to 20.00

Rings for children, 1.00 to 5.00

Rings for adults, 2.50 to 20.00

Hat Pins, 25c to 2.50

See the new style Ladies' Emblem Pins.

FOR GENTLEMEN

Chains and Fobs, 1.00 to 75.00

Cuff Buttons, 25c to 12.00

Studs, 25c to 10.00

Sart Pins, 25c to 25.00

Rings, 4.00 to 25.00

Also Toilet Sets, Cut Glass, Solid Silverware, Clocks, Spectacles, Opera Glasses, Emblem Goods.

H. W. WILDT & SON, Jewelers.

106 NORTH ROYAL STREET. BELL PHONE 345-J.

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of Alexandria, Virginia

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Richard M. Green, Cashier.

DIRECTORS:

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Carroll Pierce

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RESOURCES.

Loans, \$746,983.30

U. S. Bonds to secure circulation, 100,000.00

Bonds to secure U. S. Deposit, 1,000.00

Other Bonds and Stocks, 52,374.09

Banking House and Real Estate, 52,856.57

Cash, 51,922.29

Due from Banks and Reserve Agents, 114,920.78

116,483.07

\$1,119,657.46

LIABILITIES.

Capital, \$100,000.00

Surplus, 100,000.00

Undivided Profits, 27,434.82

Circulation, 100,000.00

Deposits, 791,232.64

U. S. Deposit, 1,000.00

\$1,119,657.46

Put Red Cross Stamps on your Christmas packages.

They cost only 1 cent each and you help a worthy cause.

On sale at cashier's desk.

This is the best and most helpful Christmas store for thrifty people. Stocks are in full readiness. Start your Christmas shopping now. Hundreds of exceptional values in the very things you want will stretch the buying powers of your Christmas money.

Assortments of gift things and reasonable merchandise were never so large, so complete, or so well selected. This with willing, courteous and intelligent service makes gift choosing easy.

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One half square of ground. Excellently located for dwelling or factory sites, situated on Pendleton street, between Patrick and Henry streets.

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